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ORGANIZATION FOR THE VICTORY LOAN

LAWRENCE COUNTY HEADQUAR-
TERS OPENED AND THE PRE-
LIMINARY WORK NOW
UNDER WAY.

Mr. Threlkeld, field agent for the Federal Reserve Bank and the Victory Liberty Loan work, came to Louisa last Friday for the purpose of arranging for a chairman for Lawrence county in the Victory loan campaign now at hand. M. F. Conley resigned soon after the close of the 4th Liberty loan campaign and had declined to reconsider the action. He had asked to be relieved after the 3rd loan, but this request was not granted.

Mr. Threlkeld called a meeting of business and professional men for Friday afternoon. No one present was willing to undertake the task, but all pledged themselves to assist the former chairman in every way possible if he would again take up the work. So it was finally settled by putting the job on him again.

The real campaign will start April 21st and continue three weeks, ending May 10th. The quota has not been announced, but will be about the same as the 4th loan, which was \$122,150.00, for Lawrence county.

While not yet announced it is believed the bonds will run five years and bear five per cent interest.

The local committee has opened headquarters in F. H. Yates' building on Main street next door to C. B. Bromley's shoe store. Patriotic citizens will be welcome there with suggestions and with a tender of their services in this campaign to "finish the job." This will be the last bond issue. It is to pay off our soldiers and the debts incurred in their great and heroic work.

The bonds are non-taxable and therefore are equal to any other kind of an investment paying six to seven per cent.

GRADUATION RECITAL

Elizabeth A. Burgess and Ruth Woods will give their graduation recital of High School Music Department on April 11th in the Baptist church beginning at 7 p. m. The following program will be rendered:

Sonata Op. 16.	Allegro Movement	Beethoven
Miss Burgess	Miss Burgess	Leybach
Fifth Nocturne	Miss Woods	Nocturne Op. 9
Miss Woods	Chopin	Miss Burgess
Nocturne Op. 9	Chopin	Traumerei (Dreaming)
Miss Burgess	Chopin	Schumann
Little Blue Pigeon	Hadley	Miss Woods
Sing Me to Sleep	Greene	Greene
Miss Burgess, soprano.	Greene	Miss Burgess
Miss Colman, piano.	Greene	Julia Jane Burgess, violin
Scarf Dance	Chaminade	Scarf Dance
Miss Woods	Chaminade	Miss Woods
Liebesfreud (Joy of Life)	Kriesler	Selection
Miss Burgess	Kriesler	Miss Burgess
Arabesque	Meyer-Helman	Arabesque
Miss Woods	Meyer-Helman	Miss Woods

INEZ ITEMS

John S. Price arrived in Inez last Friday on a visit to his old home.

On Sunday he occupied the pulpit in the M. E. Church South and preached to a large audience in the morning. At night he preached in the Presbyterian church. John is one of our Inez boys who has "made good" out in other places, but the "call of the mountains" and the "home tug" are too strong at times and so our boys come back to us. Mr. Price has charge of a large Presbyterian church in Oklahoma.

Charles McCoy has returned from a short trip to Louisville and Paintsville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hale spent a few days in town with relatives.

Miss Maud Hale is visiting Miss Dixie Ward.

Mr. L. A. Dempsey went to Kermit Sunday.

Miss Julia Watterson has returned from Warfield where she has been teaching.

R. L. Hale made a business trip to Huntington last week.

Mrs. Priscy Parsley and grandson, Carlos, have gone to make their home with Elsworth Parsley in Ohio.

WALBRIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crit See have word from their son Fred that he is now at Camp Taylor and expects his discharge from service soon.

Mrs. Ada Moore and little daughter and Miss Nellie York, of Portsmouth, recently visited relatives here.

Chas. Ferrell, of Russell, is visiting home folks.

Misses Marie and Kathleen Holt had as their guest Wednesday last Miss Annie O'Neal of Busseyville.

Wayne See came home Saturday and accompanied his sister Miss Marie to Pt. Pleasant Monday.

Roy L. Peters was the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Peters, Friday till Wednesday.

Miss Jock See visited her cousin, Miss Marie See, Saturday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth is very ill with double pneumonia.

Miss Fanny See returned Tuesday from a visit with Louisa relatives.

Church services closed here Sunday night.

MRS. J. R. DIAMOND DEAD.
The death of Mrs. John R. Diamond occurred last Sunday night at her home near Louisa. She had been ill quite a while with pneumonia and recently suffered an attack of influenza from which she never fully recovered. She was 35 years old.

Mrs. Diamond before marriage was Miss Grace Diamond, daughter of David Diamond, deceased. She is survived by her husband and eight children, seven sons and one daughter.

On Tuesday afternoon the funeral service was held at the home by Rev. H. B. Hewlett, of this city. Burial at Smoky Valley.

JUNIOR LACKEY PROMOTED.
James Q. Lackey, Jr., of this city, who had been in the medical department of army service at Camp Wheeler, Georgia, several months, was transferred a few days ago to U. S. A. General Hospital No. 10, Boston, Mass., and reported there this week.

He was recently promoted to sergeant and was one of fifty experienced medical men selected from Camp Wheeler for the Boston hospital where they will help care for the sick and wounded arriving from overseas.

MISS COLMAN LEAVING.
Miss Colman, teacher of music at the college, will leave Louisa April 14 to return to her home in Kansas. She will stop in St. Louis and Kansas City for a visit with relatives on the way home. Later she is planning to do Lyceum work.

REV. R. F. RICE ANSWERS THE CALL

Rev. R. F. Rice, one of the oldest ministers in the Western Virginia Conference in point of service and also in years, died at his home near Fallsburg Monday, after an illness of several months. The body was laid to rest in the family burial ground. Rev. H. B. Hewlett preached the funeral and the Odd Fellows had charge of the burial service.

He had been preacher in the Southern Methodist Church for about fifty-four years, continuing his labors until a year or two ago. His age was 79 years. He was quite successful as an evangelist and held many meetings throughout the country districts. His wife and several grown sons and one daughter, Mrs. Jennie Wheeler, of Huntington, survive him.

IN HUNTINGTON AND ASHLAND.
Mrs. F. L. Stewart and daughters, Miss Vivian Hays and Martha Mayo Stewart were guests this week of Mrs. Inez W. Watson in Huntington. Miss Vivian attended the wedding of Miss Alice Lowe Wilson and Mr. Joseph Gray Estey of Vermont which took place Wednesday evening in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church of Huntington. She is also visiting Ashland relatives a few days.

LOCAL BOARD MUSTERED OUT.
The office of the Local Board of Lawrence county has been closed and the supplies have been shipped to Washington. The members were mustered out March 31.

47 men were sent into the military service from this county.

R. C. McClure, the secretary, will continue the practice of law, using the Burns building on Madison street.

PUREBRED SHORTHORN SALE.
Tobe French, one of Lawrence county's progressive farmers, has sold to G. B. Gannon, of Charlotte Furnace, Ky., a purebred shorthorn bull ten months old for \$150.

BAZAR APRIL 11.
The ladies of the M. E. Church South have decided to confine their Easter bazaar to one day instead of two, as heretofore announced. The date is Friday of next week, April 11th, and the place is the basement of the church.

AT CAMP TAYLOR.
Wm. May of McVey; H. Paris, Catlettsburg; Jerry Holbrook, Yatesville; Delbert Prater, Quicksand; Terman Isaacs, McRoberts, and Hobart R. Rice, Hager Hill, are among those arriving at Camp Taylor this week from eastern points.

GOOD ROADS BOOSTER.
Mr. Adams of the Ashland Independent, was in Louisa Monday and made an interesting speech to the Lawrence Fiscal Court on the subject of good roads. He also made a talk at the Red Cross meeting at the M. E. Church at night.

NONAGENARIAN DIES.
At the home of his son, Joe Cyrus near Louisa, Mr. Jack Cyrus passed away last Sunday. He was ninety years of age. His body was taken to Tabors creek, W. Va., where interment took place on Monday.

FISCAL COURT.
The Lawrence Fiscal Court was in session here this week. The work consisted chiefly of consideration of claims All members were present.

SMALLPOX ALL OVER.
The few cases of smallpox in Louisa proved to be very light and the patients have recovered. The girl who came here from Paintsville with the disease has been discharged and returned home.

CHAS. HATFIELD KILLED IN ASHLAND

CHARLEY MUSIC, CHARGED WITH
THE MURDER, ARRESTED
NEAR LOUISA FOR
HORSE STEALING.

Deputy Sheriff Ed. Taylor made a very important arrest a short distance below Louisa Monday. The man proves to be Charles Music, charged with murdering Chas. Hatfield at Ashland last Saturday night.

The arrest was made upon advice received by telephone, saying that the man had stolen a horse from George Belcher, at Glenwood, Sunday evening just after dark. James Taylor pursued him and found that he had lost his way at Jeff Collinsworth's and became very much confused. He left the horse at that place and was on foot when arrested. He was tried Wednesday and held to answer to the grand jury. He gave the name of Grim in court, but had previously claimed two other names.

Sheriff W. M. Taylor suspected Wednesday that the man was Music, and after consulting the Ashland police by telephone he found the description fitted the man. Confronted with certain facts the man finally admitted his identity and also that he was with the gang that shot Hatfield, but denied having fired the fatal shot.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Woods took Music to Ashland Wednesday evening and delivered him to the police force.

Music is a desperate character who has been running wild in the Big Sandy Valley for several months. He is wanted for desertion from the army and also for robbing the Prestonsburg post office where he blew the safe. He also wanted at Garrett for a similar robbery. At Beaver Creek Junction he rifled 15 or more sacks of mail. He is charged with the robberies at Harold Black Diamond.

The Ashland Murder.

On last Saturday night Music and Edward Bradley held up the proprietor of the Bragg Hotel in Ashland and robbed the place, tearing down the telephone and threatening to kill the hotel man if he gave an alarm. Later he notified the police and among those who responded was officer Charles Hatfield. The men were in hiding and shot him fatally. He died a few hours later. Bradley was arrested but Music escaped to the hills.

Hatfield was a native of Lowmansville, Lawrence-co., a son of the late Lewis Hatfield, and a brother of Robert and Kemal Hatfield. He was 42 years old, leaves one son, and had been a resident of Ashland for nearly twenty years.

Rewards amounting to about \$1200 had been offered for the arrest of Music. No doubt he will get what is coming to him now.

He is said to be a son of John Music of Tom's creek, Johnson county.

ELWOOD HAMPTON, NATIVE
OF LOUISA, DIES IN FRANCE

ELWOOD HAMPTON, whose death in France was reported recently, was the son of Puria Hampton who died in Louisa a few years ago of smallpox.

Elwood's mother moved to Veiga, Johnson county, and it was from there that he enlisted for army service. He was a grandson of Mrs. Henson and nephew of Bert Hampton of this place.

E. K. RAILWAY PLACED
IN HANDS OF RECEIVER

Grayson.—The Eastern Kentucky Railway Company has been placed in the hands of a receiver by order of the Carter Circuit Court, Judge Cisco presiding. Vice President and General Manager Sturgis G. Bates, of Riverton, Ky., was appointed receiver and filed his bond, which was accepted.

SALE OF RESIDENCE.

Mrs. T. H. Roberts has sold her residence on Madison street, near the hill, for \$2500 to Dr. Proctor Sparks, who will get possession within a few days. Dr. Sparks is a native of Blaine, and has been practicing his profession there for some time. He has rented an office in the Snyder building, over Burton's store.

Mrs. John B. Vaughan and daughter, Gerry, are visiting relatives in Huntington.

Mrs. Chas. Gould and baby of Buffalo, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. F. T. Wallace. Mrs. Gould was Miss Lucy Wood and has often visited Louisa relatives.

THE YOUNGEST CHILD OF MR. AND MRS. AMBROSE HAY OF LOCK AVENUE IS CRITICALLY ILL WITH MENINGITIS. HE IS ABOUT A YEAR OLD.

Mrs. Wm. Remmelle has returned from Huntington, W. Va., where she was the guest several days of her niece Mrs. Dr. Hatfield.

BLAINE.

Bugler J. N. Holbrook, was called home from Camp Dix, N. J., on the account of the illness of his mother. He has taken his mother to Louisville to the hospital. They were accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Mae W. A. Rice of Fallsburg, and Captain Gambill as far as Webbville. Also, Dr. Chilti Osborn of Blaine.

Sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. H. F. Holbrook.

FRIEND.

CITY COUNCIL.
The regular meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday night. Routine business was transacted.

Several citizens living along the route of the proposed street paving were present. The subject of terms of payment of the property owners was discussed. Most of them agreed to pay one-fourth of the cost of the paving abutting on their property when finished. W. T. Cain and R. C. McClure were appointed to see all other property owners and try to get an agreement to pay for the work when done, instead of having ten-year bonds issued. They are meeting with success in this work. With this point settled, the contract can be let.

MRS. YATES' BIRTHDAY.

In celebration of her 79th birthday anniversary a number of the friends of Mrs. J. W. Yates spent last Friday afternoon at her home in this city. The Missionary Society of the Baptist church met with her and their program was much enjoyed. Mrs. Billie Riffe and Mrs. F. H. Yates served delicious sherbet, cake and coffee to the guests.

Mrs. Yates was remembered with gifts and greetings from relatives and friends at a distance as well as those who called during the day to wish her many more such happy occasions.

ON FURLough.

Pvt. Charles R. Holbrook is spending a month's furlough with Lawrence county relatives. He recently re-enlisted for a year's service and will return to the Mexican border. He was in Louisa Saturday. He will report at Brownsville, Texas, April 12.

Oldest Citizen Dies

At Paintsville

WM. BORDERS died last Sunday night at his home at Paintsville from the infirmities incident to old age. He was 94 years old and had lived at Paintsville many years.

He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Cynthia Stewart, of this city, and uncle of Mrs. F. H. Yates. The surviving sons and daughters are John W. Borders, of Flemingsburg; Jas. E. Borders, of Nicholas county; Jas. C. M. Saunders, of Fullerton; Mrs. C. M. Allison, of Flemingsburg, and Mrs. Rec. Vaughan, of Catlettsburg.

Funeral service was held from the home at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. H. G. Sowards, pastor of the M. E. Church South, of which Mr. Borders had long been a faithful and leading member.

He was also a charter member of the Paintsville Lodge of Masons which took part in the burial services. Interment was made in the old Mayo burial ground near West Van Lear by the side of his wife who died some time ago.

Rewards amounting to about \$1200 had been offered for the arrest of Music. No doubt he will get what is coming to him now.

He is said to be a son of John Music of Tom's creek, Johnson county.

DON'T SELL HENS.

The following letter written by one of the poultry experts in the field for the College of Agriculture is so timely that the county agent is reproducing it here in full for the readers of the paper:

"The other day I saw a woman drive to a small town with a crate



**Pvt. Russ Cordle Writes
To His Many Friends**

Corre LeHaute, France, March 4.
Editor Big Sandy News:

I take the opportunity of writing to many friends of Lawrence county through your paper as I can't write to them all personally. I am all O. K. and in the best of health. I am with the 29th Division which came to France in June 1918. We were in active service on the 27th of July and remained so until the armistice was signed.

Our first work was the defense of Alsace Lorraine which lasted from July until September 22nd. Then we left this sector and went up to the Verdun front, where it was more active and it was no trouble to hear the big G. I. cans come whistling through the air anytime—or this is what the boys called them. One day as we were going into the lines I met a colored boy coming from the front. He said, "Say Mr. you better not go up there, for Jerry is sending over them iron foundries and he don't care if he hits you." We did not turn back, but if you had been there I guess you would have seen he was right.

It was on the 12th of October when we went over the top little bit north of Verdun. We advanced some 8 or 10 kilometers through an artillery and machine gun barrage, but we gained our objective and held it until we were relieved by the 26th Division.

I was wounded on the 14th day of October by a piece of shrapnel. The shell struck in the edge of the shell-hole where there was eleven of us boys. It killed one and wounded others. I was one of the seven. Then I left my outfit, was in the hospital for about 35 days, but before I got back to my company the armistice had been signed and they were relieved from the front and were back in a rest camp.

There are several of us Kentucky boys here in the 11th M. G. Bn.: E. Daniels, Otto Daniels, Philip Bishop and Robert Enyards and myself, from Lawrence county. We are now stationed at Carre, France, drilling some, working some and have school part of the time. We also have a nice Y. M. C. A. hut built here in town which contains a canteen from which we can buy anything we want. We have movie pictures and vaudeville shows about every night which is attended by big crowds of us boys and some times by some French men and women.

PVT. RUSS CORDEL
Co. B, 111 M. G. Bn.
57th Brigade, 29th Division.

DENNIS

Several from here attended the burial of Mrs. Harry Jordan last Sunday. John Kitchen is very low at this writing with pneumonia.

Mrs. Mathew Browning had the misfortune of being thrown from her horse last week and receiving some painful but not serious injuries.

Miss Ada Cooksey, who has been very ill has much improved.

Sgt. Charlie Young, who has just returned from France, has been spending a few days at the home of W. S. Pennington.

MONEY GIRL

Church and Sunday school are progressing nicely.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Jordan.

The infant child of Mr. Lewis Fannin is very low at this writing.

Mrs. Lewis Savage and daughter, Julia Edith, were the dinner guests of Mrs. George Goins Monday.

Miss Rosey and Denali Sparks were visiting Lexia and Ella E. Carter Sunday afternoon.

Ped Newsome and wife are expecting to visit their mother here soon.

Dennis Pennington and Charley Leadenham were on our creek Thursday.

Miss Goldie Mae Goins entertained some of her girl friends Sunday.

Mrs. John Williamson was visiting her mother last week.

Marie Hughes and Goldie Mae Goins were shopping in Louis Saturday.

The sick of our community are improving.

Several from Cat and Vinson Branch attended church at this place Saturday night.

Worth Blankenship passed up our creek last week.

Enes Dersfield and little son are visiting his daughter, Mrs. Cora Fannin.

TWO BLUE EYED GIRLS.

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A SCORE CARD FOR MOTHER
By Dr. William A. McKeever
(University of Kansas)

Now, Mother, if you have been worrying about your thirteen-year-old daughter and treating her as a harum-scarum renegade instead of a human being, let me advise you to call this girl in and have her assist you in filling out a score card to determine your rank as a mother of such a daughter. Perhaps this will help you to be more patient with her and it may suggest ways whereby you might improve your record. Have her help you as follows:

1. Taking proper care of your own health.
2. Status as a home companion and guide for the children.
3. Attitude toward the school, the church, and the community.
4. Reasonableness in matters of dress and personal appearance.
5. Patience in dealing with the daughter's peculiar desires and tastes.
6. Motherly guidance in the performance of house work.
7. Informing the daughter as to the secrets of life.
8. Home instruction in regard to thrift and frugality.
9. Attitude toward daughter's future marriage and motherhood.
10. Womanly disposition toward society and the nation.

The idea of the first point is to emphasize the fact that the care of personal health is fundamental for motherhood. A sick mother is scarcely ever fair and just in her treatment of the young daughter.

Point two is intended to emphasize the need of furnishing home entertainment and sociability.

Number three indicates the need of connecting the home training with that of the great institutions co-ordinate with the home.

Some mothers dress too shabbily, others too gaudily to be helpful guides and companions to their daughters.

Every growing girl has a right to her own peculiar fads and fancies; her pastimes and her avocations. Not every mother recognizes this right.

Some mothers hold their girls overmuch upon the humdrum of house work and make them sick of it all. Others cheat and spoil their daughters by teaching them none of it. Every girl has the right to be taught how to perform all the common duties of housekeeping.

Mothers should impart to their daughters the simple elements of personal hygiene and should tell enough about the origin of life to satisfy curiosity.

The best home instruction as to thrift and frugality for the daughter is that given by means of precept illustrated by concrete example in the management of the family budget. The housekeepers of America spend many millions of dollars per day. They need much early instruction in order to become able to handle these vast sums economically. Score closely here.

The welfare of the nation depends upon the integrity of the common family, and this in turn is very closely related to the compatibility of the man and wife. The mother who is not prepared to teach her growing daughter how to know a good, marriageable man is lacking in her maternal equipment. Of course, much of this training is given in various indirect ways, and is to extend through the so-called years of the girl's life.

To mothers largely due is the formation of their children's character. If she is vain and frivolous, wanting in those strong qualities at heart and head, the children will likewise imbibe much of her nature; but so much has been written on a mother's great influence over her children that there is but one little thought left to be said.

To the toiling and careworn mothers all over the land our heart goes out in deepest sympathy, and I would say where you have good comfortable homes consider yourselves happy, and hold yourselves up with as much dignity as the queens of the earth, for who has a fairer right to the good things of earth than you?

Our sense of the value of the family needs to be rivivified and roused.

The family, the great institution of paradise, the scene of purest love, the nursery of infancy, and the stimulus and shelter of all the virtues! Each man and woman has a duty to this end. A homeless civilization is sure to be a satanic one; the vices will flourish and the virtues be nipped by the untimely frost. Back of the good man must needs be the good household. Here and there may be a saint and an apostle won from the dens of vice; but, unless the den be reformed a miracle only can insure the safety of the new convert. In the future, as in the past, the solid and reliable men and women, the leaders in business and society, will be found in the quiet and holy homes of the land.

People who have warm friends are healthier and happier than those who have none. A single real friend is a treasure worth more than gold or precious stones.

All success is a series of efforts, in which, when closely viewed, are seen more or less failures. The mountain is apt to overthrow the hill, but a hill is reality nevertheless. If you fall now and then don't be discouraged.

Bear in mind it is only the part and experience of every successful man, and the most successful men often have the most failures.

CHARLEY

A large crowd attended Sunday school at this place Sunday afternoon. It is progressing nicely with Isaac Griffith Supt. Everybody come and help us.

There will be church at Murry's chapel Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spencer, Mrs. Scott Hayes and daughters Dorothy and Pearl, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hayes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Swann and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hayes Sunday.

John M. Moore and family of Louisville, are visiting L. C. Hayes and wife for a few days.

Miss Martha Edwards and Leonard Griffith were out riding Sunday.

Alafair Boling was visiting Ella B.

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Spencer Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Preston, of Georges Creek, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Moore Sunday.

Miss Virgie Arrington, who is teaching school at Georges Creek, passed up our creek Saturday afternoon en route to Cordell.

Alafair Boling was shopping at Ulysses recently.

Miss Ella B. Spencer was visiting relatives at Ulysses Thursday.

Bascom Boyd was calling on friends here Sunday.

Green Hayes and family were out car riding Sunday afternoon.

Jay Scarberry, who was called home on account of the illness of his mother, has returned to work. Mrs. Scarberry is able to be out again after being stricken with paralysis.

Misses Beulah Edwards, Edith Griffith and Shirley Vanhouse were visiting Emma Scarberry Sunday.

Opal Hinkle was visiting her grandparents at Meads Branch Saturday and Sunday.

Several from this place attended the baptizing at Meads Branch Sunday.

Roy Castle, of Ulysses, was visiting his aunt at this place Sunday.

John Castle is visiting relatives on our creek.

ULYSSES

Miss Ella B. Spencer was calling on Mrs. Bessie Austin Wednesday and Wednesday night.

Bud Huff has been very sick but is some better at this writing.

Bud Lyon is some better. He has been sick for some time.

Bascom Boyd was calling on A. J. Austin Sunday.

A. J. Austin and Arbie Wallace made a business trip to Louisa Monday.

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INCORPORATED

Lawrence County Boy
Writes From France

Recy Sur Ource, France, March 7.
Editor Big Sandy News:
Well, the 6th Division is in "Sunny France" where it has the record of raining 265 days per year, and expects to start for Germany any day to relieve the 42nd Division known as the Rainbow Division, who lit up Winchester, England, as they came to France. It sure is a scrapping division; but there is none that could lead the 6th, especially the 11th Brigade, if she only had the chance that some of them have had, for it is supposed to be regulars, but has quite a number of drafted men in it and has been replaced a few times. We in the 6th knew if we had to stay over here for a while we would rather go to Germany, but see no use of staying at all. Of course we have men at the head of it that sure ought to know more about it than we do but we have got the French roads fixed up in very good shape now.

I see that some people over there caught the boys in France fighting and tried to see how many indictments they could make against them. Is that right or not?

And there are several little items that I could put in where the A. E. F. boys are not classed as they should be. They tried to take our service stripes from us after we had to do so much as sleeping in the roads in mud, getting rations to eat off our own dead soldiers. I would have been a pretty bird to go home and see my mother what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

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MERIDETH, W. VA.

The sick of our community are improving.

The farmers are all hustling around getting ready for farming.

Died on the thirtieth of last month, Uncle Jack Cyrus. He was brought to the Skeen's graveyard and laid to rest beside his wife. He was ninety years of age. He leaves a host of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Mary Lou Chandler, who has been visiting her brother at Charles-ton, has returned to this place.

Mrs. Grovie Sturgill and children were visiting Mrs. Bertha Vanhoose Sunday.

Miss Gladys McComas spent Saturday night with Miss Ida Lester.

Miss Florence Skeen was visiting Miss Florence Lear Sunday.

OVER-ACIDITY

of the stomach has upset many a night's rest. If your stomach is acid-disturbed, dissolve two or three

KI-MOL'S

on the tongue before retiring and enjoy refreshing sleep. The purity and goodness of Ki-mol's guaranteed by

SCOTT & BOWN
MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION

12-2A

Robert Carroll was calling on his best girl at this place Sunday.

Misses Lillie and Amorse Lester were visiting Miss Flora Williams Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Howard was visiting Berta Vanhoose Sunday.

Misses Florence Loar and Florence Skeen were calling on Miss Shirley Billups Sunday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Mullins is at the home of her brother, JoJan Mullins, at this place.

John McComas made a business trip to Ironton last week.

Miss Gustava Lester has returned home from Phillipi, W. Va.

William Skeen was calling on his best girl Sunday. BLUE EYES.

GLADYS.

Several from this place attended church at Catt Saturday night.

Sorry to hear of the death of uncle Chris Diamond. The bereaved family has our sympathy.

Mrs. Alice Browning had the misfortune of getting thrown from a horse Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Diamond and family, of Daniels Creek, have recently moved to this place.

Effie and Dee Wright entertained quite a number of young folks Saturday eve. Among those present were the Misses Jobe, Herma and Lizzie Kitchen, Messrs. Lando Hayes, Dewie Jobe, Millard Kitchen and Monroe Adams.

Miss Roberta Carter called on Mrs. Ross Wright Friday.

Miss Herma Kitchen was shopping at Mrs. Graham's Saturday.

Arthur Webb was the pleasant guest of Miss Effie D. Wright Sunday.

Misses Cassie and Gracie Thompson called on their aunt at this place Saturday night.

Herman Webb and Dalton Thompson were on our creek Sunday.

Mrs. Lindsey Browning called on relatives at this place Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Wright is on the sick list.

Miss Jettie Kitchen was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Kitchen, Saturday evening.

The ball team is progressing nicely at Compton's. P. H. B. A. N.

**LEMON JUICE IS
FRECKLE REMOVER**

GIRLS! MAKE THIS CHEAP BEAUTY LOTION TO CLEAR AND WHITEN YOUR SKIN.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

TUSCOLA

General March died very hard but he made a fool of April.

J. H. Frasher had the misfortune to have his house and all its contents consumed by fire last Friday morning. His wife was preparing breakfast and he was milking when the fire was discovered. Part of the ceiling was falling when Mrs. Frasher saw the smoke and rushing into the room where her two children were asleep she found burning pieces of paper falling on the bed where her children were sleeping. She saved her children, but nothing at all of her household goods. He also lost all his corn products, meat, harness and saddle.

The stork came to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coffee last week and left a very fine boy of which they are very proud.

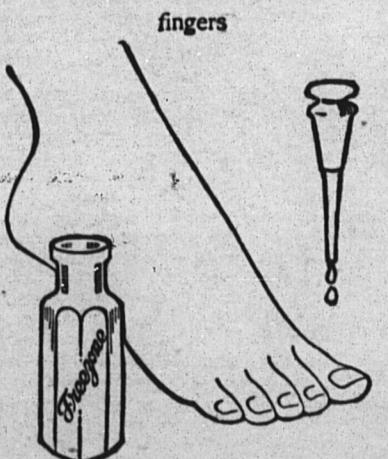
Some of our good people have been attending the holiness meetings at Hicksville and report that some of the members are talking, praying and preaching in what they call the unknown tongue.

Rev. Thomas of West Virginia, passed through here Sunday enroute to Sand Hill where he was scheduled to preach Sunday night.

The Lawrence County Fox Hunters' Association met Saturday night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President Charley Bentley, secretary-Camillus Jordan, treasurer Bill Presley, general manager and Tom Daniel Sr., general manager. McKinley Graham, directors Bill Dan-

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.



The Drink The Kiddies Dream About

Youngsters just yearn for Orange-Crush. From school or play—every day—the little tots come tumbling in for "Some - - n good."

There is nothing so good, so nourishing and healthful for growing girls and boys as Orange-Crush. And you'll find it splendidly satisfying too. Drink a bottle with the children the next time they come in and watch the smiles go round. Pure as a full-ripe orange, yet more delicious.

Order a case of Orange-Crush today. It's obtainable wherever soft drinks are sold.

We bottle Orange-Crush in strict conformity with the most rigid sanitary requirements and give our personal pledge that it is absolutely pure.

6c by the bottle. Less by the case.

The Lobaco Co., Louisa, Ky.

**Ward's
ORANGE-CRUSH**

TABORS' CREEK

The winter's return has afforded some rest to our busy farmers.

Misses Gustava Lester and Eliza Wellman left Monday for Huntington where they will enter Marshall College. We wish them success.

The boys and girls agricultural club met Saturday with L. L. Lycan, district club agent. The club is doing some fine work and so far it has the largest number of members in the district. We hope they will still take the lead.

Rev. Jack Thompson, of Glenwood, preached here the fourth Sunday to an appreciative audience. He understands the art of homiletics and never fails to interest his congregation.

Jesse and Zeal Woods, who have been attending school at Berea, came home last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Cunningham was very sick several days last week.

Messrs. C. F. Smith and Oscar Roberts went to Little Blaine Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Nona Graham has returned from Cincinnati where she bought her stock of spring millinery goods.

Miss Hazel Graham is teaching a class in instrumental music. She is a very efficient teacher and the number of her pupils is steadily increasing.

The new basket factory that was organized here recently has the following efficient officers: George Carol, president, Curt Lawson secretary, and Tom Daniel Sr., general manager.

Our fruit growers seem to think that the recent hard frosts have killed peaches, plums, pears and early varieties of apples.

Messrs. J. H. Frasher and James Prichard made a business trip to Louisville Monday.

We are informed that B. D. Johnson in studying domestic scenes discovered that sugar used in baking corn bread gives it a better flavor than soda or salt.

Dola Jordan, who has been sick for some weeks, is convalescing and will soon be able to be out to enjoy the spring sunshine.

We are informed that C. W. Rice of Dennis, has sold his entire stock of merchandise to Davy Compton and that they will invoice the stock this week. OLD LEM JACKLENS.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Everybody invited.

RED WING.

ULYSSES

The farmers of this community are getting busy.

The Rev. G. H. Young and family were out visiting Sunday.

First Sergeant Bascom Boyd, who was recently discharged at Camp Holabird, Md., took a walk up our creek Sunday. Bascom, we are glad to see your smiling face again.

Roy Borders and Miss Eliza Edwards were out riding Sunday afternoon.

There will be church at Walnut Grove next Sunday.

Several of the boys of this place attended church at Mead's Branch Sunday.

It is rumored that there will be a telephone line built from Rev. G. H. Young's to Lowman, Ky. The line is very much needed, there being only two other lines on this creek. Progress

is what we want.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fraley and little daughter Lillie were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Borders a few days ago.

Mr. C. C. Castle is visiting his brother, Zona Castle.

Elzie Hannah, of McDunn, W. Va., is visiting relatives at this place.

HILL BILLY.

NEW BOSTON, O.

Cottage prayer meeting Monday night at Delbert Hale's. Several from here have been attending the Pentecostal meetings at Portsmouth.

Bob Adkins and wife were visiting J. H. Hayes home Sunday.

Temina Jordan was visiting her cousin, Lizzie McGlone Sunday.

Jack Hale was calling on Miss Gretchen Hayes Sunday.

Willie Davis and Granger Adkins are working at the W. G. Co. here.

A KENTUCKIAN.

Mrs. E. P. Kimberly died in Ashland a few days ago. She was a native of Floyd county.

DENN'S Safe & Speedy Remedy for RHEUMATISM

Any kind helped quickly. Also stomach, liver and kidney troubles, 25c & 75c at druggists. 50c in pills by mail. DENN'S R. R. CO., Columbus, O.

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R. R. No. 2, Box 22.

Mr. J. B. Crutcher, Louisville, Ky.

Dear Sir:—I write you in reply to that medicine I received and I can say it has been a great help to me. I hope you received your pay. I spoke to my father to settle for it. I can say the one dozen bottles that I taken has cured me and my brother is here and has rheumatism and would like to have a treatment of $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. bottles.

You express it to me and I'll see that you get your pay. I thank you very much for your kindness sending me that treatment.

Yours truly,

LEVI KITCHEN.

March 6, 1919.

Mr. J. B. Crutcher, Louisville, Ky.

I made out an order for six bottles of your medicine last night for my brother and I seen another fellow this morning and he wanted six bottles and if you get this letter in time you can send twelve bottles instead of six and if not send anyway. I have recommended your medicine to several of my friends.

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Friday, April 4, 1919.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce E. E. SHANNON, of Lawrence-co., as a candidate for Representative in the Legislature from the district composed of Lawrence and Elliott counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary in August, 1919.

No country or county ever amounts to anything worth mentioning without good roads.

Speaking of slackers, the worst species on the list will be the stay-at-homes who refuse to buy Victory Liberty bonds to finish the job after so many of our boys gave their lives in the work. And there soon will be nearly four millions of the soldier boys back at home to look over the lists of those who have and those who have not helped to finish the job.

Shall we loan the government money enough to feed the soldier boys yet in the service, and to bring them back home, or shall we quit cold now and leave the heroes to get home the best way they may? The Victory loan is for the soldiers who did such wonderful work that the war was brought to an end ahead of all calculations. Let's finish the job. It is up to us.

TELL IT TO HIM

Probably you are worrying about just what excuse you are going to offer the Victory Liberty Loan salesmen this campaign in refusing to give him your subscription. Maybe you have several excuses but simply cannot make up your mind which of them is best.

Don't let it worry you for an instant. The country is full of soldiers just back from the front. Thousands of them are coming back every week. Some of them are pretty well shot up, suffering from shell shock, weak lunged from having been gassed, still shaky from trench fever, or minus an arm or a leg or an eye.

They know what this war game was. They saw something of what the Hun did for France and Belgium. They have something of an idea what he would have tried to do for America had he ever got over here.

And they would like to know, doubtless, just why any loyal American will refuse to subscribe to the Victory Liberty Loan, knowing that the American soldier wrote the death warrant for Prussianism and how he fared in doing it.

This armless, or legless, or sightless, or lungless or nerveless returned Yank will be glad to listen to your excuse. Hunt him up and tell it to him.

If you can convince him you should have no trouble with the salesmen.

And if you escape with a whole skin you'll subscribe to the loan.

Believe me, boy, you'll subscribe.

FALLSBURG

Bro. Cassady delivered a very interesting sermon here Sunday.

Garland Webb has returned home from overseas. He was in the aviation service.

Mollie Austin has returned home after visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Mrs. Lizzie Dyer is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Short spent the week end with relatives at Deephole.

Several from this place attended the ple mite at Yatesville Saturday night.

Miss Gertrude Damron is visiting home folks for a few days.

Mrs. Bertha Cooksey entertained a number of her friends Sunday.

There are several cases of measles around here now.

Aunt Cassie Austin is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Yates spent Sunday with their brother, Harry Yates, at Hereford.

We are sorry to hear of J. H. Fraher getting his house burned.

Dr. W. A. Rice spent a few days in Louisville last week.

Garland Webb made a business trip to Ashland one day last week.

The people of Fallsburg were very much shocked by the sudden death of J. E. Hig, of Huntington, W. Va. He has visited here very often and is a cousin of Mrs. L. V. Caines. She is in very poor health.

Bro. H. C. Conley will preach here the second Sunday in this month.

WILD ROSE**TUSCOLA.**

Church at Baker was largely attended Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Hammond was shopping here Saturday.

Misses Dora and Cora Triplett attended church at this place Sunday.

Jason Lambert, of Hi-top hill, was the pleasant guest of friends Sunday.

Stephen Hammond was calling on friends at Yatesville Sunday.

Abraham Hick passed through Tuscola Friday with a fine drove of cattle.

Misses Mary and Bertha Hammond were guests of Miss Frankie Wells Sunday.

Mrs. Mona Graham returned from Cincinnati.

Walter Queen and daughter, of Glenwood, attended church at this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Friend were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Con Smith Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Graham is visiting her parents.

Jenn Preesley was at Tuscola recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hunter paid his brother John a visit Sunday.

FOUR CHUMS.**METHODISTS CHANGE DATE**

CAMPAIGN FOR \$35,000,000 IN M. E.
CHURCH, SOUTH, CENTENARY
DRIVE WILL BE HELD
MAY 18-25.

The date for the Methodist Centenary financial campaign has changed from April 27-May 4 to May 18-25, official announcement of which is being made throughout the length and breadth of Methodism today. Several weeks ago it was found necessary to change the April date in order not to interfere with the Government plans for the forthcoming Victory Loan Drive. The selection of another date has been held in abeyance pending the decision from Washington which was forwarded headquarters of the M. E. Church, South, recently.

The change in this date is of wide import to all Methodists who are, at this time, lining up plans of definite action regarding their part as individuals in the campaign. Dr. W. B. Beauchamp, Secretary of the Centenary Commission, stated today that he and other Centenary workers at headquarters have, through Secretary Carter Glass, pledged the loyal support of all Southern Methodists to the government at this crucial hour and that in setting May 18-25 as a date for the Centenary drive, he knows he will have the immediate and hearty cooperation of all conference secretaries, directors, field representatives and all workers connected with the campaign.

The Methodist Centenary financial campaign is the largest religious campaign undertaken in the history of the world. One hundred and fifteen million dollars is the goal set—Southern Methodists pledging themselves to raise thirty-five million of that sum.

**CHINA HAS A VERY
IMPORTANT ROLE****PRACTICALLY ONE HUNDRED AND
FIFTY THOUSAND COOLIES
SENT TO FRANCE.**

What optimist a generation ago would have thought that backward China would have a hand in the settlement of a world war? But China is having a very important role in the great war that is just being brought to a close. Not as soldiers—fighting men—but as laborers behind the front line trenches. And just so many allied troops have been released for other duties. Practically one hundred and fifty thousand of these coolies have been transported by way of the Suez to France. This work has been done under the direction of the British Government and Church Missionaries. Among these missionaries are many of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, which is just finishing the details of its campaign May 18-25 to secure \$35,000,000 to further work of the kind that is being done in France and other places.

BANDING TOGETHER TO SPREAD GOSPEL

Nashville, Tenn.—One hundred and forty thousand Southern Methodists have signified their determination to pray for the success of the missionary work of the M. E. Church, South, and for the spread of Christianity throughout the world. These people have not only decided to do this, but have banded together in a league known as the Fellowship of Intercession, each signing a small card which it is thought will make the cause for which they pray more definite in the minds of the signers of the cards.

Dr. S. A. Neblett, secretary of the Department of Intercession of the denomination, stated to a reporter that the way in which the prayer cards were coming in was an inspiration.

From two thousand to five thousand of these are opened in the mail every morning, the number of 140,000 representing the complete total up to date.

FIVE HUNDRED WOMEN WANTED

Nashville, Tenn.—Five hundred young women are wanted at once by the Women's Missionary Council of the M. E. Church, South. They are wanted for services and missionaries of the church in both the home and foreign fields and the best type of womanhood is asked for. Women to whom the desire to serve has come very keenly, women whom the spirit of the hour has gripped earnestly, this is the type with whom the church wishes to make connection for various forms of missionary endeavor.

The work to be done involves approximately the following:

Concrete for entrances Class E 1-2-3

17 cu. yds.; Vitrified clay pipe, 10 in.

32 lin. ft.; Vitrified clay pipe, 12 in.

145 lin. ft.; Curb inlets, 2; Earth exca-

vation 1700 cu. yds.

Concrete Pavement—Concrete pav-

ing, 980 sq. yds.

Rock Asphalt Pavement—Rock Asphal-

tum, 550 tons; Crushed stone or slag,

3500 tons.

Bituminous Macadam — Bituminous

Material, 25000 gals.; Crushed stone

or slag, 2500 tons.

Plans may be seen and instructions

to bidders specifications and forms of

proposal secured at the office of the

City Clerk at Louisa, Ky., and at the

office of the Department of Public Roads, Old Capitol building, Frank-

fort, Ky.

A certified check payable to the City

Treasurer of Louisa equal in round

numbers to 5 per cent of the bid, may

accompany each proposal.

The right to reject any and all bids

is reserved.

R. WILEY,
Commissioner of Public Roads.

GALLUP

Our Sunday School at this place is progressing nicely.

Afternoon prayer service was held Sunday at the home of Aunt Sarah McClure conducted by Rev. J. H. Howes.

Miss Ella Black, of Buchanan, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McCellum have moved to Lockwood.

W. A. Carey has succeeded Mr. Mc-

Cellum as first trick operator.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Howes made a

business trip to Ashland last week.

Elijah B. Brown was here last week

and placed a new piano in the home of

F. C. McClure.

Mrs. Sallie Hardin, Louisa Shivel,

Mary Ethel and Emma Lou McClure

were calling on Pauline and Irene Mc-

Clure Sunday.

Bessie Howe spent the day with

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howes last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chapman have

returned home after a visit to their

daughter, Mrs. Wooten.

Mrs. Gordon Burgess visited her

parents at Richardson Friday.

T. S. McCellum from Louisa, was a

business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Chapman and

children spent Saturday and Sunday with

Dave Miller and family near Kise.

The young folks will give a pie social

at the I. O. O. F. hall April 9.

Prayer meeting at Mrs. J. H. Mc-

Clure's Thursday night.

Dud Gilkerson and Mose Fugett left

for Springhill, W. Va., last week, where

they have employment.

G. R. Brown spent Sunday with W.

T. Fugett.

Mrs. A. T. Shannon and children

spent Saturday and Sunday with home

folks at Walbridge.

Miss Dereca McClure expects to re-

turn home soon after an extended visit

at Charleston, W. Va.

Rev. W. H. Davenport spent the day

Monday with Rev. Howe and family.

POPPIES.**ROCKY VALLEY**

There will be prayer meeting here

every Sunday night.

Sheridan Workman, who has been

sick, is much better at this writing.

Lace Williamson, Harlen Booth and

Welzie Peters called on Anna and

Blanche Frazier and Ethel Wilson Fri-

My Store Is Wide Open-- L. F. WELLMAN

And Taking Care of All the Business Coming this Way in the Hardware and Furniture Line

A report went out that the Louisa Furniture & Hardware Company would be closed for invoicing, but this is not the way it was worked out, and I am ready to supply the wants of the people of Lawrence and Wayne counties in hardware and furniture. You may depend upon fair and honest treatment at all times. Prices always right. Your patronage is respectfully solicited

BIG SANDY NEWS

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Ouch!

There once was an angry old Czech. Who had a big boil on his czneck. Said he: "It is woe To watch this thing grow, When it started it was only a czspeck."

See Mrs. A. L. Burton's line of millinery before buying.

Attorney W. D. O'Neal of Catlettsburg, was in Louisa Monday.

Fred Workman has moved from Route 1, Louisa, to Huntington, W. Va.

Another big shipment of hats for ladies just coming in at Justice's store.

Lient. E. J. Kenealy, an aviator who saw six months service in France, was in Louisa yesterday representing the Liberty Loan Committee of this Federal Reserve district.

If you desire a stylish and beautiful hat see Mrs. Burton's millinery. ff

Claudius Silvers has been discharged from the army and returned to Louisa.

A beautiful line of ginghams and other wash goods at Mrs. Burton's if

W. E. Queen and family will move to their farm on Lick Creek to spend the summer.

Go to J. L. Moore, Fuller Station, for your hay, chop, middlings, seed oats and salt. 21-4-3t

You will find anything you want in Dry Goods and Notions at Mrs. Burton's. Prices reasonable. ff

Rev. Perkins and family moved from Lock avenue to Virginia, and Rev. Dunnigan and family will occupy the house vacated by them.

Claude Hays, who was in the medical department of army service and was at Camp Wheeler, Georgia, has received an honorable discharge and returned to his home here.

Many new suits, dresses and capes just arrived at Justice's store.

Our Yatesville correspondent tells of the death of Chris. Diamond, an aged citizen of the county. He was a brother of Joshua Diamond, of Louisa.

HOGS WANTED:—75 hogs, weighing 75 pounds and up, between now and April 15th. JAS. H. WOODS

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APRIL 5th

36 Pr. Women Shoes

Size 2½ to 4

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Can you wear this size. Come early before they are gone

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Have Them Fit
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LOUISA - KENTUCKY

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

One Fry, 29, to Mary Napier, 22, of Glenhayes, W. Va.

Sam Gibson, 40, to Frankie Polley, 40, of Torchlight.

Sam Chaffin, 23, to Little Jordan, 17, of Ira.

FARM FOR SALE.

130 acres fine blue grass land on Tabors Creek, 4 miles north of Fort Gay. On good road, close to school and church. 6-room brick house, also two good tenant houses; good barn, plenty of water. 500 bearing apple trees. Possession immediately. A bargain if sold at once. If interested call on or write MILLIA LESTER, R. D. 1, Fort Gay, W. Va.

PERSONAL MENTION

Wm. Shannon was in from Ira Tuesday.

Mrs. Oscar Hinkle, of Richardson, was in Louisa Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. W. McAlpin of Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bromley.

D. W. Wellman, of Madge, was in NEWS office Saturday.

Mrs. Nola Compton, of Dennis, was in Louisa and called at the NEWS office Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Conley and daughter, Emily, were in Cincinnati the first of the week.

Miss Lizzie Burgess, of Kise, was the guest a few days of Mrs. A. O. Carter.

Major Hays was down from Charley Tuesday. He paid the NEWS office a call.

W. H. Perry, of Ceredo, W. Va., was in Louisa Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Howes, of Gallup, was in Louisa Tuesday visiting friends.

A. J. Garred was the guest of Mrs. L. Brode in Huntington.

Jas. N. Bradley, of Yatesville, was in Louisa Wednesday and called at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDyer, of Nitro, W. Va., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams.

Mrs. Mary B. Horton returned Wednesday from a visit to friends in Ashland.

Mrs. J. B. Crutcher and daughter, Emily, were guests several days of Mr. and Mrs. John Alley at Nitro, W. Va.

Miss Annis O'Neal, of Huntington, W. Va., has been visiting relatives here.

Geo. F. Gunnell, of Catlettsburg, was a visitor in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. F. A. Millard and little daughter, Elizabeth Ann, and Miss Agnes Abbott were visitors in Huntington and Ashland a few days last week.

L. N. Hutchison, of Fallsburg, called at the NEWS office Thursday.

Mrs. T. W. Shank has as her guest little Miss Elizabeth Mahle, of Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Chaffin went Friday to Ashland to see her sister, Mrs. Elkins, who is ill with influenza.

Miss Lizzie Young and brother, of Cherokee, were in Louisa last Saturday. They were accompanied home by Miss Anna Young, who was attending

school in Louisa and went home for a week's visit.

Mrs. A. M. Campbell was called to Paintsville by the death of her uncle, Wm. Borders.

Miss Sue Bromley was down from Van Lear over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer A. Scholze of Middleport, Ohio, were guests over Sunday of F. H. Yates and family.

Mrs. Fred Marcum of Ceredo, W. Va., was the guest the first of the week of Mrs. C. C. Hill.

Dr. L. D. Jones and son, Jack of Ironton, Ohio, were visitors in Louisa Thursday.

Mrs. Jennie Wheeler and Miss Ethel Rice of Huntington, were called to Yatesville by the death of Rev. R. F. Rice.

MR. E. L. FRANKEN, representing The Potter Shoe Co., Cincinnati, will be at the Brunswick Hotel, April 7th, with a full and complete line of new and authoritative footwear in the prevailing fashions. We would appreciate a most careful and critical inspection.

Respectfully,

JUST RECEIVED BIG STOCK OF

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ALL SIZES IN OXFORDS AND SHOES

Now is the time to buy Wall Paper
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Our QUEEN QUALITY FOOTWEAR
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MEN'S AND BOY'S CLOTHING
LINE IS ATTRACTIVE

Wash Suits in all styles for the little
boys

**Walk-Over
SHOES**



Nothing is better accredited for the
summer wardrobe than separate skirts
and they are made of many different
materials.

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Organization of the Louisville
Mansfield Zinc & Lead Syndicate Reveals Business
Romance

**Dr. T. T. Beeler, Dentist, Then Oil
Magnate, Sold Interest in 157
Wells for Bigger Prospects.**

Louisville, Ky.—How a business romance, blossoming in the bosom of Mother Earth, led the way to a dream of affluence that is fast materializing, is brought out in the organization here of the Louisville Lead & Zinc Syndicate Company, a corporation the stock of which rapidly is becoming the property of the public. That it is not a romance of the oil fields will be a matter of surprise to those who look largely to the oil well as the fountain of business romance.

Formation of the Louisville Mansfield Lead & Zinc Syndicate follows closely upon organization of the Kentucky Mansfield Lead & Zinc Syndicate, a corporation already on an operating and dividend-paying basis, but the romance goes back eleven years to the oil fields of the west and to a dentist's chair in a small Oklahoma town.



Dr. T. T. Beeler.

In a suite of offices in the Starks Building a small keen-eyed man, trying to make every minute yield its quota of result of an atmosphere of high pressure, knows all about the romance, for he had lived it. He is Dr. T. T. Beeler, vice president of the new LOUISVILLE MANSFIELD LEAD & ZINC SYNDICATE. He is the man who, eleven years ago, while a practicing dentist in an Oklahoma town, became interested in western oil development. With holdings in 157 oil wells after he had become successful in that game, Dr. Beeler had wide opportunities to observe the possibilities and exigencies of that business, or game, as it may rightly be called. He saw men carried up into the realm of sudden riches; he saw hopes fulfilled beyond their own limits. But he saw the other side, too, of the oil game—its uncertainty, and the ruin that this uncertainty brought to some.

One day Dr. Beeler heard about the strike made in the famous Joplin zinc ore district. He began studying the possibilities of the new found opportunity. He reflected that in the oil business, when a well was drilled, no mortal could with certainty tell which of four things would be the result—oil, water, gas or a hole in the ground. He reflected that an oil well, drilled from 1,100 to 3,300 feet in the ground, cost from \$5,000 to \$30,000 before its real promise was known. And then he compared this with data he had gathered about the mining industry, in which nature's store of wealth lies comparatively close to the surface and covers great areas, necessitating, in proportion, a small initial outlay. He applied this comparison particularly to what he had heard about the Joplin Mansfield fields.

Dr. Beeler was not long in making up his mind. It was two years ago in Kansas City that the project, which is now being carried to every state in the Union, had its inception. Dr. Beeler had selected a partner, severed his connections with the oil fields, and had employed an agent, versed in the technique of such an undertaking, to investigate opportunities in the Joplin district.

But it was by chance that the real opportunity was found. One day, when Dr. Beeler's emissary was fruitlessly bickering with people in the field to which prospectors were already swarming, an old man called him aside.

"If you want to see an unworked locality, I want to show you something," said the old man.

As the result of the investigation and assaying which followed, Dr. Beeler, his partner and several notaries, in all of the public automobiles the nearby town afforded, set out in the late afternoon in what is now the Mansfield district. The chauffeurs and the notaries and all others with whom the party came in contact were bound to secrecy. There were neither automobiles nor notaries available for other possible prospectors.

That was October 16, 1917. In a day or so, the prospectors had secured leases on 18,000 acres of land rich in ore, and had laid the foundation of the project which is now becoming na-

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I am interested in your proposition and would be glad to make an investigation without obligation on my part.

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Nat C. Cureton, Secretary.

T. T. Beeler, Vice President.

W. E. Newbold, Treasurer.

DIRECTORS:

J. C. Mahon, W. E. Newbold, Nat C. Cureton,
T. M. Crutcher and T. T. Beeler.

Louisville Mansfield Lead and Zinc Co. INCORPORATED.

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tion-wide. They knew that by taking the ore from slight excavations at given points over a given area, the findings of an expert assayer-geologist would give them the exact extent of wealth which the establishment of mills would produce. Unlike the mere promise of an oil well, the potentialities of a zinc field could be scientifically established. Their reports were secured from A. Arnold, State geologist of Missouri, and Joseph Metcalfe, a London mineralogist and engineer, and showed that tests had proved the expectations of the prospectors.

These geological reports bear out to a large extent a theory which later became current as to the origin of the rich mineral products around Mansfield, Mo. According to this theory, Mansfield, one of the highest points in the district, is the site of a prehistoric volcano. The purest ore is found closest to this center, while the adulterated deposits are found as the distance becomes greater.

Once he had secured rights to the land, Dr. Beeler's plan became known and soon the district was a bee hive of fortune-hunters. But all of the promising land in the vicinity had been leased by Dr. Beeler and his associates and they were ready to launch their project.

Their scheme of operation calls ultimately for the organization of local companies in each of the forty-five states. Each of these corporations will be granted concessions around the reserved portion of the leases which the parent corporation will hold and which will be enhanced in value with the growing activity surrounding it.

The Kentucky Mansfield Lead & Zinc Syndicate was incorporated June 13, 1918. Its capital stock of \$100,000 was quickly sold out. On November 1 it bought its first mill, which soon began operations on the ground, and on February 1 a 2% dividend for January was paid stockholders, following which was paid a 3% dividend for February.

The Kentucky syndicate is made up almost entirely of Kentucky men. Dr. T. M. Crutcher, of Louisville, head of the Louisville Dental Laboratory, is at this office.

president, and N. C. Cureton is secretary. W. E. Newbold, of Louisville, is treasurer. Edward J. McDermott, of Louisville, is the corporation's attorney. Dr. Beeler is one of the directors, as is also Dr. Charles A. Funk.

The officers of the LOUISVILLE MANSFIELD LEAD & ZINC SYNDICATE, which was formed February 21, 1918, are the same as those of the Kentucky syndicate except that Dr. Beeler is vice president and J. C. Mahon, well known Louisville businessman, is a director. Over half of the capital stock of \$500,000 already has been sold. Offices of the company are at 409 Starks Bldg., Louisville.

The stock is being put out at \$1.00 (par value) per share.

The company's property is in the heart of the Ozark Mountains, Wright County, Mo. One forty-acre tract is located between two mills, those of the Kentucky syndicate, known as the "Pioneer Mill," and of W. E. Caldwell, of Louisville, known as the "Redbird Mill." This tract is considered one of the best in the district although three other forty-acre tracts are well located and partly tested.

So, as the new LOUISVILLE MANSFIELD LEAD & ZINC SYNDICATE starts its wheels a-whirling, the business romance of the poor dentist is carried farther along its way to the pocketbooks and bank accounts of shrewd investors the country over.

ENGINE & GRIST MILL FOR SALE
One 10 h. p. kerosene engine, and
one set 18-inch French buhrs. Inquire
at the Louisville Dental Laboratory, is

MATTIE.

Several from here attended church at Rich Creek Sunday.

G. V. Ball Sr. and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Ball Jr.

John Hayes and wife of Charley,

were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jay Moore recently.

Dr. J. O. Moore passed up our creek Friday enroute to Wilbur.

Jettie Hayes spent Saturday night with Minnie and Stella Moore.

Mrs. J. W. Moore, who has been sick for a few days, is improving nicely.

Fred Shon spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Louisa.

Jettie Hayes and Goldie Childers were visiting relatives at Leducio last week.

Burnsie Ball was calling on his best girl at Adams Sunday.

Little Miss Dimple Hayes spent Saturday night with Jewel and Edith Moore.

Bertha Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Jewel Ball.

Mrs. D. M. Justice is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Mont Wheeler, of Blaine.

J. D. Ball and C. C. Hays made a business trip to Louisa recently.

Mrs. Jay Moore spent Friday last with Mrs. B. E. Moore.

Bird Childers and daughter Gladys made a trip to Leducio Saturday.

Thomas Moore returned home from Columbus, O., last week.

B. F. Moore was visiting relatives at Sip Saturday and Sunday.

Estill Hayes makes frequent trips to Wilbur.

The surprise party given by Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Ball Jr. on Thursday evening of last week in honor of Miss Mahala Moore was largely attended.

Those present were Misses Alma

Hayes, Jettie Hayes, Minnie Moore, Sita Moore, Ruby Moore, Messrs. White Borders, Thomas Ball, Luther Moore, Lewis Moore, Jennings Cordle, Frank Moore, Ray Wilson, Burnsie Ball, Bascom Moore and Estill Hayes.

All enjoyed the games and refreshments which were served. Mahala has been at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. V. Ball, for some time and made many friends at this place. She left the following Saturday for her home in Greenup. She will be greatly missed by friends and relatives here.

MRS. GRUNDY.

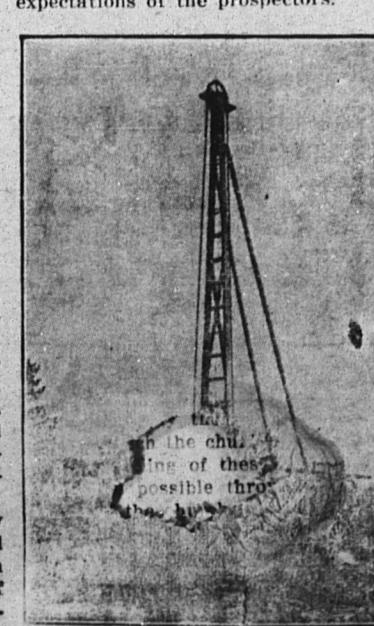
SEED OATS FOR SALE.

Dixon, Moore & Co. has just received a car load of white seed oats. Farmers will do well to get their prices before buying elsewhere.

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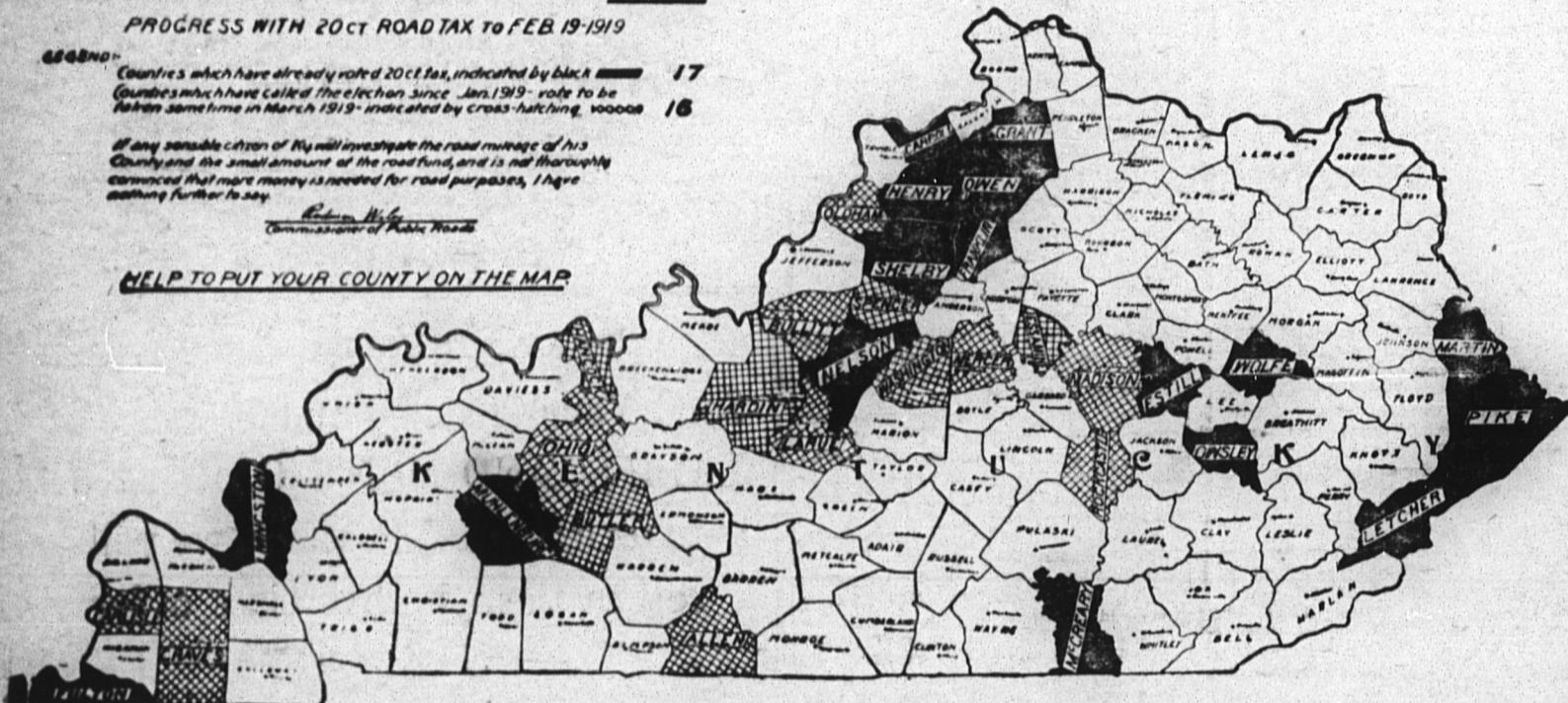
Tell your druggist you want genuine "California Syrup of Figs." Full directions and dose for babies and children of all ages who are constipated, bilious, feverish, tongue-coated, or full of cold, are plainly printed on the bottle. Look for the name "California" and accept no other "Fig Syrup."

GOOD ROADS NOT EVENTUALLY BUT NOW.

PROGRESS WITH 20CT ROAD TAX TO FEB 19-1919

REGDNO: Counties which have already voted 20ct tax, indicated by black **17**
Counties which have called the election since Jan 1919 - code to be
taken sometime in March 1919 - indicated by cross-hatching **16**

If any sensible citizen of Kentucky investigate the road mileage of his County and the small amount of the road fund, and is not thoroughly convinced that more money is needed for road purposes, I have nothing further to say.

Rodman Wiley
Commissioner of Public Roads**HELP TO PUT YOUR COUNTY ON THE MAP****STRONG SPEECH
ON GOOD ROADS**

BY RODMAN WILEY, COMMISSIONER PUBLIC ROADS, DE-LIVERED AT PAINTSVILLE OCTOBER 18, 1918.

The good county of Johnson has been famous for most every good thing except good roads and I am here today to try and interest you in highways which will benefit this county more than anything else in the world except the winning of the war.

The prosperity of every nation rests on its agricultural production. Each and every enlightened Government is considering today the problem of keeping open the lines of communication between producer and consumer. If we Kentuckians, therefore, are to keep pace with the stride of the world, we must look to our responsibilities.

With the wonderful development of the South, that challenges the administration of the world, good roads are more of a necessity now than ever, in order that we may keep pace with our neighbors who are abreast of the times.

Someone has ably said that today to indicate a man's location is merely to point out his geography. Distance from any place is not now indicated so much in miles as it is in time, and of all the systems of transportation (there being only three) the highways are perhaps the most important because the highways are the feeders of the other two systems, and just as gasoline feeds the motors that drive the aeroplanes so do the highways feed the railroads and steamships that carry food for our boys and our allies.

Did you ever stop to think that all the wheat, all the corn, in fact all of the foodstuffs now used by our great armies first passes over the highways? Just at this time it is not advisable to attempt road work where it is nec-

essary to ship in materials because our railroads are taxed to the limit, but, in counties like your own, you could build good graded earth roads, well drained, and if properly dragged they would serve your purpose for years to come. As a matter of fact I expect that if a Board of competent highway engineers should make a careful study of Johnson county with a view of making recommendations, looking to a progressive highway program, they would in all probability recommend that earth roads be built.

In the first place you are not financially able to build any higher type of road; in the second place, if macadam or gravel roads should be presented to you, you have not sufficient funds to maintain them, which would mean in the long run that you had enjoyed only a temporary relief, but, it makes no difference what type of road would ultimately be built, it is first necessary to build an earth road. Such roads can be constructed using local teams, local labor and very little material needed for their construction would have to be shipped into the county, besides the money paid for the work is left at home. In other words, if an earth road should cost \$10,000, perhaps, \$9,000, would be paid out for the hire of labor and teams, which would mean in the end that ninety percent or perhaps more of its cost would be lodged in the pockets of your own citizens. You would then not only have a good road but you would have in the county among your own people who pay the taxes, the money that it cost, which is something worthy of serious thought.

You have perhaps found out by this time that you cannot have anything unless you pay the bills. Good roads will not come to you without work and money. Since this county has been in existence thousands of dollars have been expended on a system of roads and yet this very day we are talking good roads. I doubt if you have a mile of real good road in the county. Such a condition upon analysis must show that one or two things is wrong either the county has not had sufficient money to properly build roads in all sections or else the money has not been wisely expended. After

looking over the assessed valuation of your county, I find that if the proper authorities should devote to roads all that the law allows them to collect for such purposes, it would amount to a little more than twelve thousand dollars, to take care of hundreds of miles of road. It should not require much argument on the part of any man to convince the most pessimistic that such a sum of money is insufficient, therefore, one of the first things to do is to secure the funds, and to my mind the best method afforded under the laws of this State at this time is a direct tax. The law now permits the Fiscal Court to authorize an election for an extra tax of 20c on the \$100; \$2.00 on the \$1000 which would mean perhaps a cent or a cent and a half on the acre of land, and to the average man it would be less money than he pays for newspapers, cigars or chewing tobacco. The next thing would be to select a good engineer to have charge of the work.

Some men seem to think that you cannot afford to pay a fair salary for an engineer if the road fund is small, but I say to you that the smaller the road fund the more necessary is it that you have none other than competent engineers. Jefferson and Fayette county might waste several thousand dollars and still have left a sufficient sum to make a good showing but if you waste several thousand dollars your treasury is depleted, and just as a man endeavors to build up a bankrupt business by securing the best possible man to handle his affairs, so should this county secure the best sort of an engineer.

Whatever is worth doing is worth doing right and it has been my experience that the average man does not object to paying taxes if he knows he is getting a fair return for his money, and the proper kind of a man would not only correctly locate your roads, but will also see that they are maintained, so that when you get a good road it will be preserved in a high state of efficiency and none but men experienced in the art of road work understand how to properly build and maintain highways.

Right in your own State within a hundred miles of our coal fields where there are sufficient coal deposits to supply the world for decades we had a coal shortage, in fact a coal famine last winter.

It is now practically impossible to leave this county either by wagon or automobile truck and reach a market place of any size. I venture to say that in winter time it would cost more to haul a ton of coal from Paintsville

to Ashland, Kentucky, either by wagon, sled or truck, than it would to send that same ton of coal from Ashland to Liverpool over the railroads and the water. Such a condition is most deplorable in times of peace and almost treason in times of war. Just think how the railroads could be relieved if it were possible to haul coal to all parts of Kentucky and the same is true of the products of the farm. At least we could haul enough of everything to supply the needs of our people

YATESVILLE

The pie social at Yatesville on Saturday evening, March 29th, for the benefit of Bro. Conley, was very successful.

John Damron, Fallsburg's new merchant, passed through Yatesville Friday enroute to his home at Irad. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Dixie.

Several of the soldier boys are returning and very naturally receiving the glad hand and a welcome from all they meet.

It is with much sorrow the many friends of Uncle Chris Diamond hear the tidings of his sad and very sorrowful death. Mr. Diamond had the misfortune last December of falling and breaking his shoulder and arm and since has fallen into the fire, receiving severe burns. Owing to his being aged and probably not constitutionally strong he never recovered from the injury, death resulting Saturday night at about 9 p.m.

We have noticed in the last three or four letters from Yatesville there have been errors concerning two certain young ladies of the same family. Now, Wyoming Jim, Sunshine and Chicken Little, when we want those names used in your correspondence we will certainly inform you. Probably you don't think we suspicion your identity. However, we are going to a... the writers of those former letters, in the very politest manner possible, to please not let this or these errors occur again. You know perfectly well to what we refer.

Yatesville is having a fine Sunday School under the very able superintendence of Millard Short. Notwithstanding rain and disagreeable weather there have been but a few Sundays when it has not been fairly well attended. Everybody welcome. Please come.

AN OLD SUBSCRIBER.

FORD**The Universal Car**

I have just received notice from the Ford Motor Company that they are beginning to manufacture cars and will soon be ready to fill orders. On account of the scarcity of labor and material they have requested their agents to procure orders and file them and all orders will be filled by the company in the order they are filed. So it will be necessary to have your order on file with your agent and he with the company in order to get your car when you want it. Agents are required to take orders on blanks furnished by the company, and purchaser is required to make a cash deposit of \$25 with the order. The prices are unchanged and will remain so for some time. Price of 5 Passenger Touring Car \$525 F. O. B. Detroit, Mich. Price of Ford truck without body \$550. Remember, you can not wait until spring to get your order in. They will be filled in the order in which they are filed.

Augustus Snyder

AGENT FOR ALL OF LAWRENCE
AND MARTIN COUNTIES, KY., AND
PART OF WAYNE COUNTY, W. VA.

either in some town or some other county where they receive the advantages afforded by good roads. So if you want to keep your boys and girls at home, where they should be, see to it that they have good roads to town so that they can get all the benefits of this life to which they are entitled, and you will have done not only your patriotic duty, but you will have done that which every man owes to posterity, the making of a county better and a more fit place in which to live.

WOODS

There will be church at this place the second Saturday night and Sunday in April.

Mrs. Reuben Taylor has returned from the Marting hospital very much improved.

Miss Iva Clark, of Deephole, came up Friday to spend a few weeks with her aunt, Emma Taylor.

W. O. Herald, of Greenup, is visiting relatives at this place.

Mrs. Leota Burchett and Mrs. Dick Burchett were visiting J. T. Herald Sunday.

Reuben Taylor, Dave Morrison, Austin Gypson, Banner Harris, Henry and Sam Endicott were out horse-back riding Sunday.

Larry Goble, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, is improving.

Mrs. Willie Herald and children were the pleasant guests of her mother, Mrs. Jeff Hunter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Merritt have moved to their new home at Sugar Loaf.

Miss Margaret Branham, of Emma, was visiting Miss Sibyl Sherman Sunday.

Miss Eva Morrison is at Mrs. Annie Burchett's.

Dow Hunter has made his return from McVeigh, Ky., where he has been working in a timber job.

George Collins has sold his farm to J. M. Goble and is moving to Dwellie.

Mollie Morrison and Iva Clark were out horse-back riding Saturday.

Miss Belle Morrison and brother Ollie spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Goble. SPRINGTIME.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

I, or one of my deputies, will, on the 5th day of April, 1919, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the Court House in Louisville, Ky., at 10 a.m., the following described property, to-wit: Two standard rigs for boring for oil; one 20 h. p. Bessemer engine; one wood oil tank; and all the casing and tubing in wells No. 1 and 2, all of which property is now on the lands of F. R. Bussey near the forks of Little Blaine creek in Lawrence County, Ky. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of T. N. Clark, J. B. Coghill and the Table Rock Oil Co., to satisfy three executions in my hands, one in favor of E. E. Zerkle and the Table Rock Oil Co., which issued from the Lawrence Circuit Court

Clerk's office on the 8th day of March, 1919, for \$606.00 and \$9.80 cost; and one in favor of E. F. Franklin, the same date as the one above and against the said T. N. Clark, J. B. Coghill and the Table Rock Oil Co. for the sum of \$395.00 and \$9.80 cost; and one in favor of Lee McCowan against the said T. N. Clark, J. B. Coghill and the Table Rock Oil Co. of the same date and from the same office as set out above for the sum of \$205.00 and \$9.80 cost, each of said amounts to bear interest from the 11th day of December, 1918, and the Sheriff's commission on the said amounts and cost of advertising. The proceeds of the above sale shall be applied to each of the above named executors as their interests appear, neither having priority over the other. A sufficiency of the above described property will be sold to pay the debts, interests and costs as above set out.

Sale will be made upon a credit of three months, the purchaser being required to execute a good and sufficient bond for the purchase price, payable to the plaintiffs in said execution, which bond shall have the force and effect of a replevin bond upon which an execution shall issue.

Given under my hand this, the 18th day of March, 1919.

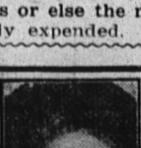
W. M. TAYLOR, S. L. C.
By J. H. WOODS, D. S.

21-25-4-5.

**SOMETHING ABOUT
SUNNY FLORIDA**

I will tell you something about this great country, the garden spot of the United States. The thermometer registered 54 December 27, 1918. Flowers in bloom, grass green, thousands of cattle roaming over the broad acres of grazing land. English Peas in bloom. Thousands acres of cabbage are almost ready for the market. There are opportunities here for hustlers, but if you don't want to hustle and have plenty of money come and spend the winter in Florida. Hundreds of people own orange groves here and still live in the north and come here in the winter; then go back north in summer and have a good income from the grove. I prefer staying here myself as you well know or Dr. Bromley can tell you I was an asthmatic as bad as any case in the Big Sandy Valley. Am cured sound and well and don't want to take any chance on another attack. People are fine, kind, sociable and the very best of neighbors. I have made good here and this past summer has been one of pleasure. At no time was it over 99 at Orlando, Fla. I will be glad to answer any questions any of my friends may want to ask whether it pleats me or not. You all know I am a Real Estate dealer and try to make a little on every deal but not enough to hurt any one. With best wishes to all my friends and the News.

I am, yours truly,
F. B. LYNCH, Orlando, Florida.

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Saw**

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WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS

Reward For Arrest.

The Kenova Lodge of Masons offers a reward of \$100 for the arrest of the slayer of Sam F. Allison, a Virginia cattle buyer, who was murdered in that city on Monday night. Allison, aged 60 years, was found dead at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in Kenova, his head having been almost severed from his body by a hatchet wielded by unknown highwaymen who robbed him of all of his money.

Sol Fuller Killed at Dingess.

A dispute over the possession of a hog led to a shooting affray at Dingess Saturday night in which Sol Fuller, a resident of that town, was shot and instantly killed by Tom Blair, also a citizen of that community. It is reported that Fuller claimed a hog that was in the possession of Blair who also laid claim to it.

Victim of Sleeping Disease.

Carroll Slagle, 22, who died last Saturday, was the first Huntington, W. Va., victim of sleeping sickness. He was semi conscious three weeks, the last five days of which he was in a state of coma.

W. Va. Girl Overseas.

Miss N. Mildred Wright, daughter of Harry Camden Wright, of Keyser, W. Va., has just sailed from New York to join the overseas force of the A. R. C. Miss Wright was a teacher during the last year in the school in Huntington. She has been very active in canteen work during the war. Miss



THE SATISFACTION OF SEEING

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BIG SANDY NEWS

Soldier Returned.

Noah May, who was wounded in the battle of the Argonne five days before the armistice by a missile from a high explosive is now home on permanent release from the hospital and seems to be strong as ever. Noah's many friends among the teachers of whom he is one are glad to see him back looking so fine.

Appointed Supervisor.

P. K. Damron and family, of Robinson creek, were guests Wednesday night of P. K. Stratton and family. Mr. Damron has been made supervisor of schools for Pike county the ensuing year.

Lycum Number.

The fourth number of the lycum course being given at Pikeville College was presented Wednesday night. The program was rendered by a Hawaiian quartet and was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Judge Skeens.

Judge Alfred Skeens of Clintwood, Va., was in Pikeville Wednesday night. Judge Skeens is a polished scholar and gentleman and Pikeville is hoping to soon count him one of her citizens.

Local and Personal.

Miss Lena Lyons, of Hellier, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lyons of this city.

Mrs. Lennie Newton, of Ironton, O., who was formerly Miss Lennie England of Pikeville, is visiting friends in Hellier.

Judge J. F. Butler has been seriously ill for several days but is now reported to be improving.

PRESTONSBURG

Home Coming.

April 22 has been set for the home coming of our soldiers and sailors for Floyd county, and every soldier and sailor is expected to be here on that day in full uniform. There will be plenty of dinner for everybody. H. N. Cooley, our worthy county superintendent, will have charge of the program. The Floyd county good roads meeting will be on the same day, and everybody is expected to boost good roads.

Visiting Relatives.

Mrs. W. R. Jillson is back this week visiting home folks. They have recently moved to Frankfort, where they will make their future home. Mr. Jillson holds a responsible position at the State capitol.

Local Board Relieved.

The Local Board of Floyd county, after many months of hard and tedious work, have at last been relieved of its duties and closed its office. Every record of the Board has been carefully preserved, sealed and marked and sent to Washington for the use of the War Department for future reference.

Victory Loan.

Messrs. M. D. Powers, B. M. James and John D. Smith have returned from a business trip to Cleveland, Ohio, in the interest of the Victory Loan. They have been appointed a committee on publicity in conducting the campaign for the Victory loan, which starts April 21, 1919. They report a fine time and come back imbued with the spirit of making the victory over Germany complete in every detail.

Church To Be Dedicated.

The new M. E. Church South will be completed in about a week ready for use and will be dedicated on April 27. The church has procured the services of Dr. H. A. Boaz, of Louisville, for the dedicatory sermon. Dr. Boaz is one of the great pulpit orators of the nation and holds one of the most responsible positions in the church. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Still Destroyed.

Messrs. Dingus and Andy Gayheart, deputy sheriff of Orkney, Ky., made some moonshine raids in Otter and Clear creeks last week and succeeded in locating and destroying four illicit stills.

Local and Personal.

Lafon Mayo, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fitzpatrick, died March 20 with diphtheria.

L. N. Hatcher, recently discharged from Camp Sheridan, is back in Prestonsburg expecting to establish another office here.

Gomer R. Martin, real estate dealer, was in the city last week transacting business.—The Citizen.

PAINTSVILLE

Return From France.

Word has been received that Sammie Stapleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stapleton is enroute to the United States from France to be discharged, after serving his country for more than a year in the American Expeditionary Forces.

Revival.

Rev. Stewart of the Methodist church here is conducting a revival this week at his church. The meeting started last week and services are being held each night. Rev. Stewart is an interesting preacher and his sermons are doing much good. He preaches the good old-fashioned religion and the singing is also good. Rev. Sowards of the Mayo Memorial church is assisting. It is a meeting for all the town and everybody is invited to attend the services.—Herald.

Injured By Playmate.

Dr. W. T. Atkinson was called to Jackhorn last Friday to see the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Atkinson, who was reported as seriously injured. A playmate rolled an iron wheel over the little fellow and he was at first thought to be injured seriously but is doing nicely now.

New Postoffice Fixtures.

Postmaster Will A. Ward returned Sunday night from Ashland, where he purchased the fixtures of the old post office there and will install them in the post office here at once. The fixtures

are modern and in every way convenient.

Accepts Position.

Miss Bess Spradlin of The Paintsville National Bank, left Monday for Wayland where she goes to accept a position with The Bank of Wayland. Miss Spradlin is an experienced bookkeeper and has been with the bank here for a number of years.

C. Buckingham.

Claude Buckingham, Assistant Cashier of The Paintsville National Bank, has been made Chairman of the Fifth Liberty Loan Committee for this county and has perfected his organization. Garland Rice, the insurance man, is Vice-Chairman.

The work is now under way and the organization will push the drive until the county is safely over the top.

Tobe Rule.

C. T. Rule, President and General Manager of the Big Sandy Hardware company, was operated on in a Huntington hospital last week for some trouble with his nose. He is rapidly recovering and will soon be at his place of business again.

A Boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vaughan of Garrett, a son. Mrs. Vaughan was Miss Irene Carter, formerly of this city.

Visits Parents.

Orion Wheeler is here this week the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Wheeler. He has been in the Navy and has been stationed at Hampton Roads, Va., for the past several months but is now discharged from the service.

Pretty Wedding.

A pretty wedding took place at Thealka last Monday evening when Miss Hattie Robinson was married to Irvin Lyons of Beattyville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Lyons left Tuesday for Beattyville where they will make their future home.

GREEN VALLEY

There will be a pie social at this place Saturday night, April 5, proceeds for the benefit of our pastor, Rev. H. C. Conley.

Mrs. W. M. Prince, who had pneumonia some time, is able to be out.

Little Dockie Harmon is very low with this writing.

Miss Marie Munay has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. B. Vanhorn for the past few days.

Miss Anna Belle Ekers was shopping at Dennis last week.

We are glad to see the soldier boys returning home.

Rumor says the wedding bells will be ringing at this place soon.

Willis Combs and Nolen Scott were callers here Sunday.

Balton Thompson passed down our creek Sunday enroute to Little Catt.

We are sorry to hear of John Frazer getting his house burned.

Joe Daniels was calling at Cadmus Friday.

Miss Nellie Caines contemplates a return to Catlettsburg soon.

Mrs. Mary Caines and daughter, Arma, were calling on Mrs. Lizzie Derefield Sunday.

Aunt Betty May will make her home with Adam Harmon this summer.

Charley Bentley attended church at Brammer gap Sunday and reports a nice meeting.

Don't forget the pie social.

MOONSHINE.

WEBBVILLE

A very sad event occurred at this place Wednesday, March 19, about 2 o'clock. Mace Kitchen, a well known man of this place, was plowing in the field when he died suddenly with heart failure. When he left home he was feeling well as usual. He had had very bad attacks of heart trouble for some time.

Mr. Kitchen leaves a wife and six children to mourn the loss. His body was laid to rest in the Hensley graveyard. We express our deepest sympathy to the family.

Hugh Shepherd and Clara Stafford were married at the groom's home March 22. They are fine young people and we wish them much joy.

James E. Smith left Monday for Logan, W. Va., where he will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shepherd were calling on relatives at Cherokee Sunday.

Mrs. Lena Thompson, who has been very ill is slowly improving.

Mrs. Fanny Webb entertained a crowd of young folks Friday night. All report a good time.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, who has

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are visiting relatives at Wilmore, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Monroe Walters spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Lena Thompson.

Mrs. Mollie Shepherd and daughter, Allie Leigh, went to Hubbardston Friday to their future home.

Bertha and Irene Lang and Ruby Smith were calling on Ruth and Annie L. Shepherd Sunday.

Charles Steele left Monday for Columbus, Ohio.

Charlie Holbrook passed through Saturday enroute to Blaine.

Jimmie Pennington made a business trip to Ashland last week.

Echel Pennington was calling on Clara and Ruth Shepherd Saturday.

Fred Lang, who is attending school at Grayson, visited home folks recently.

Mrs. Fan Webb was calling on Mrs. Giles Green Sunday afternoon.

TWO SISTERS.

ULYSSES

We are sorry to hear of the tragic death of Charley Hatfield, one of our former citizens who moved from this place to Ashland a few years ago. Mr. Hatfield was a member of the police force at that place and while trying to arrest a man by the name of Music was shot and killed. Music made his escape. We have not learned any particulars so far our information is very meager in regard to the affair.

H. D. Lyons is still seriously ill of dropsy and paralysis.

The smallpox patients at Chestnut this time.

BLAINE

March is gone and April is here and with it plenty of wind and snow. Farmers have left the plow and gone to hauling coal.

Mrs. H. H. and J. J. Gambill have their spring millinery.

We are sorry to hear that Aunt Saccie Carter is sick.

Misses Gladys Wellman and Ethel Swetnam spent Saturday night with Miss Pearl Bates, who was at home for a few days from Louisville.

Mrs. Corilda Bates has gone to Ashland to see her daughter, Mrs. Fannie Boggs.

Several from this place attended church at Knott branch Sunday.

J. L. Hewlett and Frank Burton were business visitors in our town Monday.

Miss Hazel Osborn was calling on Miss Clara Thornsberry Saturday.

David Osborn's baby is very sick at this time.

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